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09/802,316 6,678,547	March 8, 2001	279.317US1	CARDIAC RHYTHM MANAGEMENT SYSTEM USING TIME-DOMAIN HEART RATE VARIABILITY INDICIA
10/035,009 7,062,314	December 28, 2001	279.381US1	CARDIAC RHYTHM MANAGEMENT DEVICE WITH TRIGGERED DIAGNOSTIC MODE
10/436,876 7,069,070	May 12, 2003	279.564US1	STATISTICAL METHOD FOR ASSESSING AUTONOMIC BALANCE
10/695,430	October 28, 2003	279.656US1	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MONITORING AUTONOMIC BALANCE AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY
11/382,568	May 10, 2006	279.564US2	STATISTICAL METHOD FOR ASSESSING AUTONOMIC BALANCE

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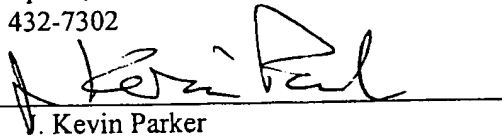
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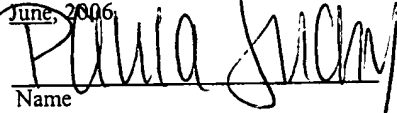
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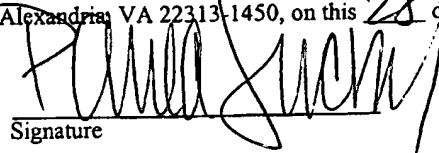


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